

The Gleichen Call.

Devoted to the Up-Building of Gleichen and the Development of the District Generally

Year I., No. 25.

GLEICHEN, ALBERTA, THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 1907.

\$1.50 Per Year

TOWN AND DISTRICT

M. McDonald of Calgary has promised to visit his Gleichen friends within the next week, and the latch-string on The Call Palace door will be on the outside while he remains. Come right in "Little Mack"; none more welcome than you. If the people of Gleichen are wise they will get after "Little Mack" to build an elevator here. We need an elevator and Mr. McDonald is a good man to get interested in the town.

August Jensen has completed his contract on the new tracks at the station and moved his men and outfit to Tellico, 80 miles east, where he has another C. P. R. Contract. On the grading he does south of the depot all the ties have been laid and track laying is now in progress, and some of the ties are down on the switch to the stock yards.

The Gleichen Trading Company, Ltd., has been duly incorporated and under this name W. H. James' general store business will be conducted in future, with Mr. James as manager. See the new company's announcement elsewhere in this issue.

A. O. F. Meeting—The regular meeting of Court Blackfoot will be held in the Foresters Hall tomorrow evening, Friday, Sept. 6, at 8 o'clock. Members kindly accept this notice. W. Rose, Secretary.

Mrs. A. L. Larkin of Prince Edward Island, spent a couple of days visiting Mr. R. W. McKie, manager of the Bank of Commerce and Thursday went on to Calgary to visit Mrs. McKie's daughter.

Mrs. F. E. Renand has presented The Call with one of choicest boxes of mixed vegetables we have seen this season, containing potatoes, turnips, carrots, beets, lettuce and a beautiful bouquet of flowers.

Messrs. Duhaime & Firth left on Tuesday's No. 1 to start work on several contracts at Strathmore. They say they have painting contracts there that will keep them busy all fall.

Now that we have the bridge let us congratulate Mr. Rilev and show our gratitude and faith in him by backing up his effort to secure the Agricultural College for Gleichen.

Jno. Story, the well known C. P. R. transit man, arrived in town Saturday for the first time since March. He has been working all this time in the vicinity of Dead Horse lake.

Who was it waded to his waist in water to shoot flappers on the 23rd, south of McCann's ranch, and scooped his gun full of water in the attempt? Great sport, eh?

The C. P. R. have had a big force of men at Gleichen all week filling in the under the bridge just east of town and making many improvements to the road-bed.

A meeting of the Board of Trade will be held this evening—Thursday. A good attendance is requested as several important matters are to be discussed.

J. C. Calhoun has sold his cattle on the Red Deer river range to Thos. Henderson and left Tuesday to visit friends in Victoria, B. C.

J. B. Dufour arrived Sunday from Stavelly with a force of men to erect the new Bank of Commerce building, who are pushing the work rapidly.

Messrs. Ryan and Farns have arrived from Red Deer river with a big bunch of cattle and are shipping them from Frobart.

Another week or ten days of sunshine will give the Gleichen district another record-breaking grain crop.

A lot of our farmers are now busy cutting up.

What do you think of The Call's cartoons?

This is the weather that brings out our farmers' broadest smiles.

Miss McKay returned last week from a visit to relatives at Medicine Hat.

Tenders for Gleichen's new school will be open till noon next Tuesday.

Mrs. J. J. McCove of Queenstown returned Sunday from a trip to Claresholm.

Messrs. DeFoe and Shaw shipped 292 head of cattle to Liverpool last week from Stobart.

Our implement men continue to do a good business. This is the very best sign of the times.

J. T. Johnston, the hustling McCormick machinery agent, returned from a trip to Red Deer river Monday.

W. H. Riddell and A. W. Mathieson arrived Sunday from Ayre, Ont., to visit the latter's brother, N. Mathieson.

The dance given in the Foresters' Hall Monday evening was fairly well attended and proved very enjoyable.

F. H. Blackburn has recovered from his recent illness and is now busy opening up his stock of men's furnishings.

Our ranchers are said to be putting up more hay than ever. Last winter's experience will not soon be forgotten by them.

Ben Wishart is making great improvements in the Palace Hotel and is prepared to accommodate the public in every particular.

Subscriptions are rolling into The Call office quite satisfactory to the management, which makes it evident our efforts are appreciated.

The Call asks for your job-printing on the basis of the quality of work done, and fair prices.

Wakefield & Milliken left Tuesday to start work on a new dwelling for R. W. Payne, on his farm four miles north of town.

It is said there were only two men in town who were not pleased to hear that the bridge was settled. Whoever could they be?

We hear a lot about the All Red Route, but the All Red Envelope is something to be seen, and is doing good work for Gleichen.

Some bargains are expensive.

Worry never completed a task worth while.

The vacation earned is the vacation enjoyed.

Men who ride hobbies usually enjoy the excursion.

Worry causes more perspiration than the heat of the sun.

The vacation we miss is the one we would have enjoyed most.

The pie are just as good as ever your taster is out of whack.

You can never make another noise with the cracker that has been exploded.

Queenstown Happenings

Mrs. Tennant is down here on a visit to her parents Mr. and Mrs. Read this week.

G. Hoerle paid a visit to town last week.

W. F. Robertson took a run up to Gleichen Saturday.

O. P. Solberg and wife are on a visit to Claresholm. They expect to be back this week.

F. Arndt has engaged the services of G. Hoerle to build his cage.

Emil Griebach and wife of Gleichen paid a visit on Sunday to G. Hoerle's.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hoerle had their child baptised Sunday at their residence. Rev. Pholman of Calgary officiating.

J. McCabe secured a fine well of water at a depth of 40 feet and had 20 feet of water in it last week.

Inkster's drilling outfit is busy on Preston Mills farm now and they are down about a 100 feet.

SUICIDE'S BODY RECOVERED

Unknown Man Drowned Himself Near Strathmore

Monday Staff-Sergt. McLeod returned from Strathmore with the body of the unfortunate man who committed suicide at Strathmore on Tuesday of last week and had the remains entered in the Gleichen cemetery. He was delayed in recovering the body by having to wait for grappling irons to be sent down from Calgary, but when they arrived he formed a party of Strathmore men and proceeded to Eagle Lake secured the body by catching the deceased's pant leg with the third throw, in about seven feet of water.

Many reports have been circulated concerning the drowning, but the Sergeant states that it is very evident the man deliberately walked into the lake as he was fully dressed when taken from the water. A couple of men who were duck hunting at the lake had noticed him first resting on some piling that supports the railway track and afterwards looking back in his direction saw him in the water waving his hands and then disappear. They were about 400 yards from him and running back one of them took off his clothing and waded out some distance but the ground was so soft he was compelled to give up his efforts to reach the spot where the man disappeared, and returned to town to report the incident, after carefully marking the spot where the man sank.

When Sergt. McLeod and Corporal Dr. Rose arrived they found the water so black and muddy that nothing could be done without grappling irons. The coronor examined the men who had witnessed the drowning and decided an inquest was unnecessary.

It appears the man had been seen at Strathmore and at the irrigation construction camps, but no clue could be found by which he could be identified. A note book found in his pocket indicated he was an American and had worked in machine shop in Chicago at some time. He was evidently a man of about 35 or 40 years of age, was slim in build and had grey hair.

It is stated that at Strathmore he gave his name and address to Frank Ellis, a brother-in-law to Pat Burns, but Mr. Ellis has not yet been communicated with.

THE PICNIC

Monday proved an ideal day for the Labor Day picnic, being one of those beautiful sunny days for which the province has become noted, and it will be a day long remembered by the boys and girls of Gleichen and vicinity. Very early that morning the little folk were up looking anxiously for the teams to convey them to the grounds, but it was not until 10:30 that all were in readiness and fourteen conveyances loaded with big and little people proceeded in procession towards the Bow river, accompanied by a good escort of mounted riders. Then the fun began, the boys and girls laughing, shouting and singing as the procession moved along. Truly, they were a happy lot of youngsters. For four miles the route led over the rolling prairie and then the descent began down the long hill to the river flat east of the North Camp, when many of the children got out of the big wagon boxes and ran down the hill in great glee. The road for another half mile wound among a network of shade trees and bushes and then a halt was made in a clearing and soon preparations were under way for lunch. Table cloths were spread on the ground and soon covered

with the very choicest sandwich, pies, cakes, etc. There was everything from doughnuts to angel food and the lavish display would make a dining car look like a lunch counter. These were served to the children first with lemonade; and my, oh, my, how they eat, eat, eat, and then eat some more. But, who could blame them for when the great big people took their place they were not far behind and some who had passed 40 odd summers proclaimed the cakes to be "Just like Ma used to make."

Luncheon over the races were keenly contested and resulted as follows:

Boys under 14 years—Arthur Jones, Willie Service and Alex Buckley.

Girls under 14 years—Leila Service, Marvel Rietan and Florence Wishart.

Boys under 10 years—Joe Marshall, Jimmie Service and Willie Gray.

Girls under 10 years—Jean Gooderham, Florence Wishart and Leila Service.

Boys under 8 years—Isaac Allen, Rupert Hunter and Leslie Brereton.

Girls under 8 years—Florence Wishart, Grace McPhee and Cora Campbell and Lucy Marshall.

Boys under 6 years—Austin Allen and Duncan Campbell.

Girls under 6 years—Rosie Service, Sally Gray and Nora Cosgrave.

Boys and girls under 4 years—Claire Rose, Victoria Beaupre and Johnny Wakefield.

Boat Race—Willie Service, George Wakefield and Neta Steward.

Pony Race—Florence Wishart, Arthur Jones and Duncan McBean.

Three legged Race—Willie Service & Arthur Jones, Morton Campbell & Roy Cronk and Clarence Evans & George Wakefield.

Girls under 12 years—Jean Gooderham, Leila Service and Cecilia Wakefield.

It was then asked if anyone wanted any other race for the children, but all appeared satisfied. The prize money was afterward divided equally among the above races, the first prize being 55c, second 35c and third 25c and 60c, 40c and 30c being allowed the three-legged race.

An Old Maid's race (exceeding 30 summers) was called and the following ladies entered: Misses McEwen, McKay, Cook, Jones, Carson, Conby, Burn and Buckley.

Here was fun galore and the betting became general. Miss McEwen won first easily but Miss McKay and Miss Cook tied, and in a second race Miss McKay was allowed second prize and Miss Cook third.

In the bachelor's race E. Wagstaffe won first, Fred Hamar second and Jas. Clark third.

In the men's three-legged race Fred Hamar & Jas. Clark won first place, Fred Jones & Wes. McEwen second and E. Wagstaffe & Geo. Evans third.

F. McKay won first in the Fat Man's race, J. L. Laycock second and A. E. Jones third.

After another happy repast had been served by the ladies the procession was soon in form and all reached home without mishap, tired but happy.

The only regret of the day was caused by quite a number of people who started out late not being able to locate the picnic grounds chosen, and these spent a good portion of the day searching for it, and were obliged to picnic wherever hunger overtook them.

Much credit is due Miss Cook for the success of the picnic, upon whom practically the whole work fell and the children may consider themselves fortunate indeed to have an educational instructor who will go to so much trouble for their enjoyment.

The wise man looketh not at the thermometer during July and August.

People who seldom work are the ones who talk most about their summer vacations.

A scientist avers that the heads of human beings are growing smaller. We hadn't noticed it.

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dine's, on Crowfoot creek; 2nd Sunday
at Mr. Beaupre's, in Gleichen; 3rd Sun-
day at Mr. T. Stewart's, at west Ar-
rowwood creek. Services are held every
Sunday at the South Camp Mission, near
Cluny.

Services will be held in St. Andrew's
church every Sunday evening, and on
the 1st Sunday of each month ser-
vices will be held in the morning at 11
o'clock, with the administration of the
Holy Communion.

Divine service will be held in Que-
enstown, every Sabbath, conducted by T. B.
Smith.

NOTICE—All changes for advertise-
ments in The Call should be in the
office by noon on each Monday to insure
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W. PARK EVANS, - - - Publisher and Proprietor.

Gleichen, Alberta, September 5, 1907.

THE NEW BRIDGE

The people of Gleichen district are
still rejoicing over the location of Bow
River bridge, not so much for the reason
that it has been placed exactly where
the Gleichen people want it and where
it will be of the greatest benefit, but
because they have got it at a time that
it is most needed for the immediate up-
building of this entire district, and par-
ticularly the Queenstown section.

The Call believes that there is not a
fair-minded man in the entire district,
regardless of party, who has not said
that our member, Mr. E. H. Riley,
deserves every credit for having success-
fully secured this boon for us.

Mr. Riley is, indeed, to be congratu-
lated for his has been no easy task. It
is not yet a year since the request for
the bridge was placed before him and
against heavy odds he has now been
able to fulfill the request.

Alberta is a new province and her
wants in public works are many. Every
district of this big Province has been
pressing the government for the ex-
penditure of vast sums of money for
works that are an absolute necessity.
Thus our member had to work against
all these interests. And just at the
time some of our people had given up
hope and were saying there were too
many other applications before the gov-
ernment to expect a grant for the bridge
this year Mr. Riley was enabled to
inform them that he had secured
\$35,000.00 as a starter for the project—
this was last March.

Then it was that our friends went
busy and recognizing a good thing,
naturally wanted it. (We don't blame
them in the least, in fact, we rather
admire them for it.) However, they
succeeded in their advances to the ex-
tent that the engineers were directed to
report on two different sites for the
location of the bridge. In the mean-
time there was considerable anxiety,
which continued until Mr. Riley's mes-
sage was received Wednesday evening.
And who will blame the boys for putting
in a few "peers," "stringers," "bolts,"
etc., that evening.

The bridge is a direct benefit to the
town of Gleichen and ensures for years
the trade of a vast section south. For
many years this section was famed as a
great stock country, but a year or
two ago it was proven also suitable
for general farming and last year a few
enterprising men located homesteads
and began farming, meeting with good
success. They were not selfish but
heralded the news afar to their friends,
and now there are close on 200 home-
steads actually occupied and every week
more settlers are arriving at Gleichen
and trekking out to Queenstown. The
majority coming from the Western
States, who are proving not only hard-
working farmers, but enterprising men
that make the kind of citizens that any
community may well be proud of.

This fall these new farmers will have
a considerable amount of grain to mar-
ket at Gleichen, this being their nearest
railway point. In order to deliver their
grain they must either ford the Bow
river, or make use of a cable ferry that
at times is none too safe. Therefore,
they appreciate the building of the
bridge, which for all time and all seasons
of the year will keep them in touch
with the rest of the world.

Most of the land for homesteading is
now taken up and the building of the
bridge is all that these men want in
order that they may go on with their
buildings, fences and breaking in the
Queenstown district.

TELEPHONES

In a talk with Mr. Wheeler, of the
O. P. I. C. Co., he stated in answer to
questions that he was not in a position
to say just how Gleichen could arrange

for telephone connection with the line
along the canal, but said he had no
doubt an arrangement could be made
with the company, and advised that
the matter be taken up with his com-
pany. He was aware, however, the
company intended to allow the use of
the line to the general public and went
on to say:

"Irrigation means the cultivation of
smaller tracts of land than is practised
in districts where dry farming prevails.
This fact means closer settlement and a
social life unthought of under the old
system of farming. With closer settle-
ment and greater social advantages
there are other benefits which follow in
their wake. One of the advantages
awaiting the coming of the settler in
this irrigation block is the public tele-
phone.

"In the construction of this irrigation
system it was necessary to erect a tele-
phone line between the various engineer-
ing headquarters and Calgary. The Bell
Telephone Company of Canada is going
to put in an exchange and connect this
line with their system, which will give
to the block all the advantages of the
long distance telephone and at rates
much lower than charged by any public
telephone company.

"Public telephones ready for the use
of farmers immediately upon the occu-
pancy of their land is certainly a unique
innovation in the colonization and settle-
ment of a new country.

"What it means in a home or in a
neighborhood the farmer is better able
to appreciate than those who live in the
city. It frequently means to him the
saving of a long drive to a neighbor's or
to town, and in case of an accident it
may mean the saving of a life in the
calling of a physician.

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23, 1903). The pedigree of "Sir Samuel"
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Cruchan" (10504), dam Bell by Etterick
Shepherd (2763); breed, Clydesdale;
color, bay; marks, white hind legs;
foaled, 1901. Examined and registered
at Regina, 5th day of August, 1904.

(S) W. ELLIOTT,
Commissioner of Agriculture.

Government of the Province of Al-
berta, Department of Agriculture, No.
593 Certificate of Grade Stallion, Horse-
breeders Ordinance N.W.T., C. 23, 1903.
The pedigree of the stallion "Chess",
described as follows: Color, dark chest-
nut; marks, —; foaled, 1900. Ex-
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(S) GEO. HARCOURT,
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artisan and the laborer to make his
home in that Gleichen, which is
certain to be one of the most prosper-
ous towns in "Sunny Alberta".
A CALL to the capitalist and the invest-
or to invest in a town and
district, which will without any
doubt repay his investments a hun-
dred fold in the future.
A CALL to those in search of health—
the greatest of all earthly blessings
—to come to a Province becoming
famous as a Land of Sunshine, and the
exceedingly fertile, nor frigidly
arctic, a happy climatic medium.
A CALL to those now here to work for
the interests of that Gleichen they
have made their home, to work for
its present interests and its future
welfare; to work unselfishly and
unitedly for its advancement and
prosperity. To work and never rest
content till "Our Town" reaches
a higher and a higher and a still
higher position, nor to cease their
endeavors till at last she takes her
place as one of the foremost cities
in fertile, mineral-endowed, healthy,
beautiful, Sunny Alberta.
S. M. DICKINSON.

Canada's Growing Time

Lord Strathcona, Lord High Com-
missioner of Canada, is quoted with giv-
ing Canada the following boost:

When I went to Canada seventy years
ago it was a tremendous wilderness. By
the close of the century, if not before,
it will have a population equal to
the present population of the United
States. Then there will be two great
countries side by side, living, I hope, in
the same amicable regard that character-
izes their relations now.

"The greatest strides have been made
in agriculture. The great northwest,
once the property entirely of the Hud-
son Bay Co., to be exploited merely for
the furs it could supply, is now cut up
into small farms and ranches. Thirty-
five years ago there was no grain grown
there.

"The factors of the Hudson Bay had
to send to the United States or to the
far eastern cities for their breadstuffs.
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than one hundred million bushels of
wheat and more than two hundred
million bushels of other grains."

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regret.

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**THE BLOCK****OBSERVATIONS**

BY "LITTLE MAC"

Be your timely reminder to "put on the brakes" and take "it easy." I am on the right track and intend to keep it warm, but I have no thought of weighing down the safety valve nor of opening wide the throttle or over-speeding the engine. I am, and have been running a steady and moderate speed and hope to cover more ground with greater ease. I am free to admit that good health is a most convenient condition and business asset. It gives us happiness. It fosters courage, and eliminates good-will. It makes the world bright, it makes a man feel strong, capable, manly. It radiates optimism and dispels fear. Great is good health. There are few men, however, who fully appreciate the cash value of good health in connection with their business, unless they are unaccustomed for work; they look upon their illhealth as only a great discomfort. But it is far more than that. It regulates the profits of a business as surely as it affects the comfort of the body and mind. To make the most of our opportunities we must make the most of our mental and physical faculties. The human body and mind is a machine, complex and complete, yet every part is associated with, and to a certain extent, depends upon some other part.

Very serious people who are always at work and who rarely take a vacation, who look upon life as a very grave proposition and go about as though they were carrying all the responsibilities they could stagger under, don't get the most out of life nor do they accomplish as much as the great workers or the great players. There are just as many people who don't play enough as there are people who play too much. Play is a very important part of our existence. Perpetual seriousness has a depressing, repressing influence upon the mind, so that it doesn't get complete relaxation. There is always a mental strain. The bow that is always bent loses its tension. Perpetual seriousness is not normal, it is an abnormal condition of the mental qualities. Play is natural to all living creatures. Too much seriousness injures the character, after a while. It tends to make people morose and sad, it often leads to melancholy and sometimes to insanity. The great thing is to always keep the mind fresh, vigorous and happy, the happy mind is the normal one. Many people seem to look upon life as such a serious proposition that they think that it is almost a sin to be happy or to spend very much time in recreation or play. They seem to say by their manner that life is short with no time to throw away. "We must work while the day lasts, for the night cometh when no man can work."

Your friend "Mac" is blessed with a very cheerful disposition and cheerfulness is a great health promoter as well as a business getter.

Following up our letter conversation about the great waste of timber everywhere on "God's Footstool." Scientists are figuring up ahead of time the day we may expect to find ourselves without some very necessary and convenient articles.

"At the present rate of consumption the natural supply of nitrogen (nitrate of soda) for fertilizing purposes will be completely exhausted in 30 years."

Farmers will do well to think of this and to store nitrogen in the soil by the Clover Route method. Next comes the National Hardwood Association with the statement that,—

"In 35 years the American forests will be a thing of the past." A fairly good timber grove can be produced in 35 years and the large areas that are not cultivated in the South and West and even the abandoned New England farms might well be planted to forest trees.

M. McDONALD.

We'd hate to feel as mean as a man looks to us when he snubs the advances of a trusting little child.

There is no one quite so disagreeable as the little man who presumes too much upon his small size.

The wise father begins investigating when he notes that his son is using great care in the selection of his neck ties.

When we are hard at work we are apt to think we would be happy with nothing to do. When we have nothing to do we are always discontented.

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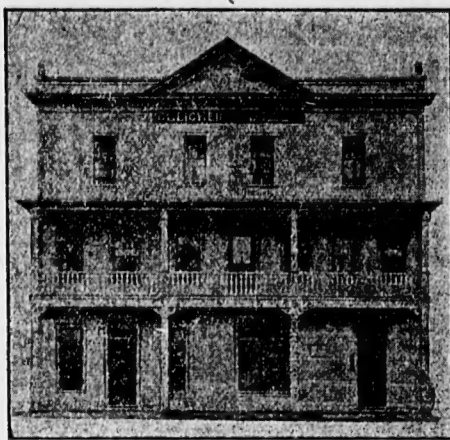
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Every Comfort
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Good Water,
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Post Office, Station,
Stock Yards, Freight
Sheds, two large Hotels,
Bank of Commerce, a sawyer,
The Call, 3 General Stores, Grocery,
Flour and Feed, 3 Hardware Stores,
Men's Furnishings Store, Butcher,
Drug Store, Stationery, 2 Implement
Agencies, 2 Tinshops, 2 Blacksmiths,
Hattersmaker, Painters, 2 Lumber
Yards, Livery and Feed Stables, 2
Coal Sheds, Express, Draymen, a
Luncheon Restaurant, Builders and
Contractors, Concrete Works, Real
Estate Agents, Auctioneer, Doctor,
Veterinary Surgeon, Presbyterian,
Methodist, English, Catholic and
Lutheran church services. A \$10,000
Bank Building and a \$6,000 School
House under way. Coal Mines in
Operation Close to Town. Irrigation
Demonstration Farm within half a
mile of town. A detachment of the
N.W. Mounted Police permanently
located here. Lodges of the A.O.F.
and I.O.O.F. and a Masonic lodge is
being organized. A live Board of
Trade. Blackfoot Indian Agency.

LOCATED on the main line of the Canadian Pacific
Railway, 36 miles East of Calgary and 124 miles West of
Medicine Hat. Is the centre of a wonderfully rich Farming
and Ranching Country, underlaid with Coal Deposits.

WHAT WE WANT

Elevators, Creameries,
Best Factory, thousands of
Farmers with little capital.
Capital for Coal Mining and
for Business Blocks, Bricklins,
Etc. Splendid openings for Flour,
Flax and Oat Mills and Factories of
any kind that would appreciate
cheap fuel, good railroad facilities,
freedom from labor trouble, low
taxation, and the assistance of the
Gleichen District Board of Trade.

Gleichen is named in honor of a German
prince—Prince Hohenthal-Gleichen.
LIES in the most fertile portion of Sunny
Southern Alberta.

EVERY person from 75 miles North to 40 miles
E. South to 25 miles West has their business here.

IRRIGATION—Centre of Greatest Project on
the American Continent.

CLIMATE—Health Giving and Invigorating. A
health resort for people with weak lungs.

H. B. Largest average yield of Oats and Wheat
in Alberta in 1905—without irrigation.

EVERY class of Tourists stop here to see the
L. L. Blackfoot Indians.

NO District in the Last Best West offers better
inducements for enterprising young men.



A few snap-shots taken in Gleichen just after Mr. Riley's message was received
announcing the location of the Bow River Bridge.

The Best Brand of Cigars.

to be found in the town
are to be obtained here
and they are kept just
right. You won't find
them dry and brittle with
the wrappers peeling off.
When you want a good
smoke come in and inspect our choice line of cigars.



The Post Office Drug Store, A. R. YATES, Proprietor.

LAKE The Dentist

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CALGARY

"The Best in the West"

Do you know what it cost me to be able to write the above?

Fourteen years continuous study and practice.
Five Post Graduate courses in New York, Chicago, Buffalo, Toronto and Seattle.
Hours of study and experiment when my professional brothers were out with the other lucky ones enjoying themselves.
Thousands of dollars where hundreds are generally spent in dental education.

But, pshaw, knowing what I do I can honestly say:

"It was worth while after all!"

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Blacksmiths and Horseshoers

We have added to our plant a Gasoline Engine to run a Power Hammer and Emery Wheel and are prepared to do all kinds of work on shortest notice.

First-Class work in Every Line and Satisfaction Guaranteed.

We will Positively Give NO CREDIT to anyone.

If you have any kind of work you think cannot be done in town, just consult us.

Plowshare Work a Specialty.

The Gleichen Trading Co., Ltd.

W. H. JAMES, Manager.

New Name
New Company
New Goods

Under Old Management.

TO THE PUBLIC:

Finding that my general store business was growing very rapidly I have formed a company to be known as "The Gleichen Trading Company, Limited," which will enable me as manager of the Company to carry on the business in accord with the ever increasing demands of the people of this town and district.

In announcing this change we desire to thank our patrons for past favors and to request a continuance of your esteemed trade, and further to state we are now in a better position than ever to cater to the wants of the public. In future we will conduct our business on the lines of the best known methods now in vogue and will make it a pleasure as well as profitable to do business with us.

W. H. JAMES, Manager.
The Gleichen Trading Company, Limited.

C. J. BRAY

—DEALER IN—

HARDWARE and FURNITURE

Sporting Goods!

We have a good stock of Guns and Ammunition and the Duck Season will soon be open. If you are buying a gun

BUY A REMINGTON.

But if you want a cheaper gun we have them from
\$20.00 to \$60.00

We also have the Sovereign Cartridge, the pioneer of light recoil without impairing penetration. Use the Sovereign and you won't come home complaining of a sore shoulder.

We always have the Best.

The Poison in Mackerel.

There is no more wholesome food among fish than a mackerel, yet close along the backbone of that same edible there lies a strip of flesh which may bring you to death's door even if it fails to kill you. You may eat it a hundred times and it will be as wholesome as the rest of the fish, but the hundred and first time or earlier it may cause terrible trouble. This is because it occasionally, without any sign or any known reason, distills a powerful irritant poison. There is no difference in the appearance of the fish or in its flavor; nothing to warn you of the danger. The only remedy is to leave the spine of the fish alone and not take the flesh that lies in the angle of the backbone's edges. There is never a year without a few deaths from this cause, though you might eat mackerel scores of times without taking harm. Yet animals have some way of detecting the poison, and a cat will not eat the flesh from the mackerel's spine if it is dangerous. It is not a question of sturdiness—a perfectly fresh fish may be deadly and a stale one harmless.—London Standard.

Lady Grey's Doll Evening.

Thomas Creevey, who lived in the early part of the nineteenth century, has presented some queer pictures of English court life. During the reign of King William IV. Creevey wrote: "The Greys had just come from Windsor castle. Lady Grey, in her own distressed manner, said she was really more dead than alive. She said all the boring she had ever endured before was literally nothing compared with her misery of the two preceding nights. She hoped she never should see a mahogany table again, she was so tired with the one that the queen and the king, the Duchess of Gloucester, Princess Augusta, Mrs. Lieven and herself had sat around for hours, the queen knitting or netting a purse, the king sleeping and occasionally waking for the purpose of saying, 'Exactly so, ma'am,' and then sleeping again. The queen was cold as ice to Lady Grey till the moment she came away, when she could afford to be a little civil at getting quit of her."

Curious Hunting Custom.

The Labrador Indians when on a hunt stalk on in advance of the train with their arms, while the women, heavily laden with provisions and means of shelter, drag along slowly after. When the lords and masters begin to think of food time or wish in any way to leave some guide as to their progress for the squaws they thrust an upright spear or stick in the snow and draw in the snow the exact line of the shadow then cast. The women, toiling painfully along, note the spear and the progress of the shadow and know closely the difference of time. They know, too, whether they dare to linger for a few minutes' rest or if they must hastily catch the stick or spear and hurry on.

Long Journeys Made by Whales.

The whales that swim about the islands which lie off the coast of Norway and Finland in March and April travel immense distances. In May they turn up at the Azores or even at the Bermudas and sometimes pay a visit to the Antilles. They swim fast, for in June they are back again off Norway. Some of these whales have been known to bring back evidences of where they have been, for harpoons of the peculiar kind used off the coast of South America have been found stuck in them.—St. James Gazette.

Odd Japanese Customs.

The Japanese houses have no chimneys, and you are never warm enough until the house catches fire. The Japanese have beef and no mutton; the Chinese have mutton and no beef. Japanese bells, like Japanese belles, have no tongues; Japanese snakes have no poison; Japanese music has no harmony. The Japanese alphabet is not an alphabet, but a selection of seventy useful ideograms to dispense with the 30,000 in ordinary use by the Chinese.—"Queer Things About Japan."

A Story of Brahms.

A rather celebrated composer asked to be allowed to play his very latest composition to Brahms, and did so with tremendous vigor, the perspiration streaming down his face as he pounded the piano. Brahms at the end of the performance picked up a sheet of the manuscript and, feeling it between his finger and thumb, enthusiastically exclaimed: "I say, where do you get your music paper? It's first rate."

Plants Without Roots.

The "flower of the air" is a curious plant found in China and Japan. It is so called because it appears to have no root and is never fixed to the earth. It twines round a dry tree or sterile rock. Each shoot produces two or three flowers like a lily—white, transparent and odoriferous. It is capable of being transported 600 or 700 miles, and it grows as it travels, suspended on a twig.

Thorns.

"Do all roses have thorns, pop?"
"Yes, my son."
"I can't feel any on those roses on ma's hat."
"You would if you had to pay for the hat, my son."

Bobbie's Metaphor.

"What do you think now, Bobbie?"
"I remarked the mother as she boxed his ears."
"I don't think," replied the boy, "My train of thought has been delayed by a hot box."

Both.

Little Willie—Pa. Pa—Well, what is it, Willie? Little Willie—is writing a profession or a disease?—Illustrated

COMING AND GOING

H. Parnes of Calgary was here last Thursday.

Did you note the Gleichen Hotel ad. in this issue.

A. C. Sanford came down from Calgary Friday.

A. Clark of Winnipeg was doing business in town last Friday.

F. W. Crandall was here from San Jose, California, last week.

W. J. Thompson was here from Calgary Friday looking over the district.

Keep on boosting for Gleichen for she will get to be one of Alberta's best towns.

The Call cannot please everyone, but every week our subscription list grows.

The marriage of Mr. W. Lee and Miss Dobson is announced to take place on Monday, Sept. 18th.

Robt. J. Rowe and Austin Brown came in from Queenstown to attend the dance Monday evening.

A story entitled "A Lost Pledge Party" may appear in a future issue by Charlie Paint, and it's a good one.

Miss (a son) received word Monday of the death of her grandfather at Calgary and has gone to attend the funeral.

The entire Call staff observed Labor Day and hope our readers will pardon the Call if this issue is not up to the mark.

Nearly 10,000 All Red envelopes have been sold in the past month and still the Call has more orders to fill.

When you hear a man continually telling about what he has done for a town, just take a peep around the corner and see if the town has not done a lot for that man. It pays to boost.

Messrs. C. Marris, P. R. McTavish and H. Booker all of Calgary said the town a visit the latter part of last week.

Presbyterian Church Service in the School-house on Sabbath, 8th Sept., at 3:30 p.m., to be conducted by Rev. H. Fraser.

Methodist Church Service will be held in the Foresters' Hall on Sunday September 8th, at 7:30 p.m., Cyril Easton Pastor.

\$5 REWARD—For information leading to the recovery of one valuable Irish hound. Answers name of "Nellie" Bunch posted. Followed a w. on going north from Gleichen 1st April. Apply H. West.

HORSES FOR SALE—50 head of heavy draft horses, weighing from 1250 to 1450, all rather broken. Enquire at The Call office or to T. V. McHugh, Queenstown.

HORSES FOR SALE—A mixed bunch of 80 or 90 horses is offered for sale. These are a fine lot of horse and will be sold in block. For full particulars apply to W. S. Cosgrave, Gleichen.

FOR SALE—Seven Wolf-Hound Pups at \$5 each. Both parents are fast and are death to the Coyotes. John Clark, Jr., Box 127, Gleichen.

LOST—\$10 REWARD—Blue Grey roan mare branded (curved) E on left shoulder; strayed from C. P. H. Irrigation Department camp, Strattonmore, about July 1st. Address J. S. DENNIS, Calgary.

TENDERS

Sealed tenders to the undersigned for the building of a new school will be received up to noon Tuesday, September 10, 1907.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of Mr. V. J. Beaupre.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque for 5 per cent. of the amount tendered, which will be subject to forfeiture in case of failure on the part of the contractor to enter into a written contract with approved sureties when called upon to do so.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Gleichen, August 26, 1907.

W. ROSE,
Secretary-Treasurer.

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Teaching.

Pupils prepared for examinations if desired.

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T. P. McHUGH, Proprietor,
QUEENSTOWN.

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Cattle Brand: 101 on left hip or left ribs

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Heavy Draft Horses for Sale.

GLEICHEN, ALBERTA.

Noticee to Farmers

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